Application Serial No. 09/831,913 Response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment mailed December 21, 2005

REMARKS

Claims 1-26 are pending in the present application.

Applicants submit herewith a substitute listing of the claims in compliance with 37 C.F.R. §1.121 in which Claims 25 and 26 have been labeled as "withdrawn." Entry of the amendments above is requested. Reconsideration of the above-identified application in view of the remarks set forth in the response filed on October 12, 2005, is requested.

Applicants submit that the present application is now in condition for allowance. Early notification of such action is earnestly solicited.

Respectfully submitted,

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